



— State of —
North Dakota
Office of the Governor
John Hoeven
Governor

PROCLAMATION
EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES FOR CHILDREN DAY
MAY 17, 2006

WHEREAS, emergency medical services are a vital public service for all North Dakota citizens, especially children in need; and

WHEREAS, the needs of children are different from the needs of adults in medical emergencies; and

WHEREAS, Emergency Medical Services for Children promotes the high-level care given by emergency medical services providers with pediatric emergency skills; and

WHEREAS, Emergency Medical Services for Children works with physicians, nurses, paramedics, emergency medical technicians, first responders, firefighters, educators, administrators and others to identify and address the issues surrounding the provision of optimal pediatric care and the prevention of injuries to North Dakota's children; and

WHEREAS, Emergency Medical Services for Children assists in the development and implementation of training programs and guidelines for emergency care providers so that children receive timely and appropriate care.

NOW, THEREFORE, as Governor of the State of North Dakota, I do hereby proclaim May 17, 2006, **EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES FOR CHILDREN DAY** in the state of North Dakota.

/s/
John Hoeven
Governor

Attest:

/s/
Alvin A. Jaeger
Secretary of State